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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kermit Knudtzon

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SYSTEMS AND METHODS

Examiner: Andrew J. Fischer

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed June 28, 2004. It is believed that no fee is due at this time to maintain the application in full force and effect. However, if any such fee or charge is due, please charge this fee to Deposit Account No. 502099.

Please amend the application as described herein.

REMARKS

This Response is filed in response to the Office Action mailed on June 28, 2004, and a personal interview conducted between Examiner Fischer and the Applicant's undersigned attorney on September 20, 2004. The courtesies extended to the undersigned attorney by the Examiner during the September 20 interview are gratefully acknowledged.

In the June 28 Office Action, the Examiner objected to informalities in the drawings and rejected claims 1-7 under 35 USC §§ 102(b) and 102(a) based on U.S.